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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

NIPPONKOA INSURANCE CO., LTD. - U.S. BRANCH,

Plaintiff.

-against-

KUEHNE & NAGEL, INC., d/b/a BLUE ANCHOR LINE, and SHIPCO TRANSPORT, INC.,

Defendants.

ECF CASE

07 Civ. 9581

**RULE 7.1 STATEMENT** 

Pursuant to the provisions of Fed. R. Civ. P. 7.1, in order to enable the judges and magistrate judges of this Court to evaluate possible disqualification or recusal, the undersigned counsel for Defendant Shipco Transport, Inc. certifies upon information and belief that Defendant Shipco Transport, Inc. has no corporate parents, subsidiaries or affiliates that are publicly held.

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Respectfully submitted,

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